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LINEN SUITS.

Twelve Men's Finest Linen Crash Suits, all sizes, regular price \$4.00 and \$3.50.

At \$2.25.

Thirty-five Men's Linen Crash Suits, regular price \$2.50.

At \$1.50.

Boy's Knee Pant Crash Suits, sizes 3 to 11 years, worth \$1.50.

At 99 Cents.

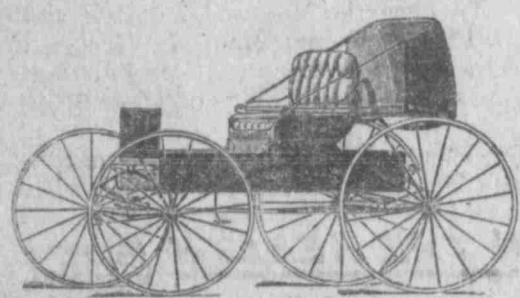
Boy's Crash Suits, Knee Pants, worth \$1.00.

For 60 Cents.

J. H. Anderson & Co.

"For every Dollar spent at Our Store We guarantee 100 cents' worth of Satisfaction."

Have You Seen This Job Yet?



ONLY \$37.50.

It is Worth \$50.00.

It is substantially built, nicely finished and by far the best buggy for the money you ever saw.

What is the Use

Of sending off for cheap buggies—cheap made and cheap looking—when you can get this job right here and see what you are getting. It is Fully Guaranteed and we stand right behind it.

We have the largest and nicest line of

Harness and Saddlery

in this section and the prices are right.

F. A. YOST & CO.,

We Sell Buggies—the best made—That Is Our Business.

T. C. COMING.

New Railroad Headed Towards Hopkinsville.

The Engineers Will Begin The Location of a Line at Once.

A Clarksville exchange says: It is reported in railroad circles that Engineer Blanchard will receive orders in a few days to begin the location of a line to Hopkinsville. Preliminary lines have been run to both Hopkinsville and Gracey, and it is said that the Hopkinsville line will be selected. At any rate Col. Baxter will be here from Nashville shortly, and the matter will be finally decided.

The road will not be built further than Hopkinsville. Two corps of engineers are to be placed in the field at once to locate the lines from here to Hopkinsville so that the work may be done at the same time as that from Nashville to Clarksville.

MEETING CALLED.

Stockholders Will Ratify the New Stock Issue.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Illinois Central has been called to be held on the 29th of next month, to ratify the issue of \$15,000,000 of stock recently recommended by the Directors.

The stockholders are to have the right to subscribe for the new stock at par to the extent of 20 per cent. of their holdings. The first payment on the new stock is to be due December 2, and the second payment January 7.

A discount of 4 per cent. is to be allowed on stock paid before December 2. The new stock will participate in the dividend of next January.

IN BANK'S FAVOR.

Judge Fowler Decides a Test Case.

County Judge Fowler has decided the bank tax case in favor of the First National Bank, by sustaining a general demurrer filed by the bank's attorney. The suit was to assess and list taxes on \$60,000 capital stock and surplus fund, under the new law for the years 1892 to 1900. About \$2,000 was involved. The case will be appealed.

DEATH OF JACK JONES.

Well Known Man Succumbs to Attack of Appendicitis.

Cadiz, Ky., July 14.—Jack Jones a brother-in-law of Mr. B. P. Cravens of this place, died at the home of his grandfather, Dr. J. M. Lester at Lamasco, Saturday and the interment took place Sunday near Otter Pond. He was 16 years old and had only been sick four days.

MARKET UNCHANGED.

Sales About The Same as Reported Last Week.

The condition of the tobacco market remains unchanged. Sales for the week were about 400 hogsheads and receipts were considerably less. Prices for lugs and common leaf were the same as last week.

WOOD-HENDERSON.

Fairview Man and Pon Woman Married Here.

Mr. Edgar G. Wood, a young farmer of near Fairview, and Mrs. Zoana Henderson, of the Pon neighborhood, were married in the city Wednesday.

Miss Jennie Richardson has gone, to Haden'sville to visit her sister Mrs. Robt. Graham.

DR. RAY'S SIDE.

Superintendent Writes an Explanation of the Scandal.

Miss Smith Ruined in the Asylum While Out of Her Ward.

The KENTUCKIAN to-day gives space to a card from Dr. W. W. Ray in regard to the recent unfortunate affair that occurred in the Western Asylum. We are always willing to give both sides of a news item.

DR. RAY'S STATEMENT.

A sensational account of the birth of a child at the asylum, was published in one of the Hopkinsville papers yesterday, which contained some false statements, some unjust insinuations, and some suggestions unfavorable and detrimental to the management of the institution.

It is not my purpose in this card to reply to that publication, but to make a plain statement of the facts in the case for the benefit of the public at large. The facts are these:

Last October Bettie Smith escaped from her ward, and when found was with a male patient in one of the basements. In due course of time it was reported to me by the ward physician that Betty was thought to be in a pregnant condition. On convincing myself, by a careful examination, of the truth of this report, I at once communicated the fact to the State Inspector, and consulted him in the matter. I then went to Judge Chas. H. Bush, a member of the Board of Commissioners, and reported the matter to him, and advised with him on the subject. I went to Judge Bush instead of the other members of the board because he was the only lawyer on the board, and on that account possibly the proper one with whom to advise. He and I decided that it was a matter that were best kept quiet until after the birth of the child. We both agreed that there was no reason for reporting it to the board as a whole. A statement that I claim to have reported the case to the board is incorrect, but I did report it to a member of the board, as Judge Bush will state.

I wish to state that nothing connected with this case had anything to do with Mr. Brown's losing his place as tinner.

I wish to state that Mr. Smith, Bettie's father, did not go off to Texas in ignorance of his daughter's condition, as I sent for him and told him all the facts myself. I also explained the facts fully to Mrs. Young, though she had heard something of it before I saw her.

We have here a number of those unfortunate cases of sexual perversion who require constant watchfulness and effort to prevent their effecting a meeting with one of the opposite sex. The lamented Dr. Rodman told me, a short time before his death, that this was one of the most difficult problems a superintendent had to deal with. I am informed that it is a part of the history of this institution that a number of births have occurred here from time to time under similar circumstances.

In conclusion I will say that I have devoted my best energies to the welfare of this asylum since it has been in my hands. I believe that every one who has taken interest in the institution to examine into the management of its affairs will agree that, in almost every particular, the condition is excellent. The attendants and employees are all sober, industrious, and faithful, and the service they are giving is of a high order. I have bent every energy toward cleaning up the institution, and keeping it clean.

In spite of watchful care and effort, this misfortune has occurred. I deeply regret it. Betty has my sympathy. Every member of her family has my profound sympathy.

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Summer Sales

Are now the order of the day. I am not quoting cut prices but I have a large lot of the handsomest summer goods in

Dimities, Batistes, Lawns, Etc.,

And I will not be undersold. Come in and see them and I will please you in goods and prices. Also a complete line of Gents' Furnishing Goods and Gents' and Ladies' Underwear at Special Prices.

New Floor Coverings.

Carpets, Rugs, Mattings, Linoleums, Oil Cloths, Etc. Big assortment in every line to select from. All are welcome.

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HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

GREATER AND GRANDER THAN EVER!

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Hopkins = County

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And Carnival of all Nations,
Madisonville, Ky.,

August 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9.

5 Big Races Daily,

2 Brass Bands,

Beautiful Display in Floral Hall,

Grand Exhibition of Saddle and Harness Stock in Show Rings.

No Tiresome Waits—Something Going on all the Time.

Plenty of Pure Ice Water Free.

Grand Illumination of Fair Grounds at Night.

One Marvelous Week.

Follow the Crowd.

Meet and Mingle With Old Friends. Enjoy Yourself While You Can.

Excursion Rates on L. & N. Railroad.

Enlarged Seating Capacity.

Special Train

Leaves Hopkinsville at 8:30 a. m. August 6, 7, 8 and 9. Returning leaves Madisonville at 6:00 p. m. One Fare Round Trip.

C. C. GIVENS, Prest.

H. H. HOLEMAN, Sec'y.

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